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Memo to R.J.S. to IAC dtd 13 Dec 48. R&S.

Subject: SR's

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1. I had a meeting with Capt. [redacted] on Thursday, 10 November, from which I drew the following conclusions:

a. SR's agreed upon should be continued.

b. There is no conflict between specific SR's and specific NIS studies. It is a general conflict.

25X1A c. The solution, according to Capt. [redacted] to the conflict lies in making IAC review for contributions to SR's discretionary.

d. NIS program is not so near completion that specific SR's should be discontinued on that account. (This might be checked further, however)

2. A review of the record shows that the following SR's on the list of 1 November 1949 were not on the list of 1 December 1948: (The latter was the date used in the memo to Staff of 13 Dec. 1948.)

SR 46 Guatemala
53 Costa Rica
54 Haiti
50 Union of S. Africa
51 Rhodesia & Nyasaland
52 Mozambique and Angola
62 Cyprus

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3. SR-61 "Palestine" does not appear on either report although I understand it is in preparation. It has not been formally assigned. I believe it can be assumed, however, that it is part of the original SR on the Near States and not a new SR.

4. I have no comment to make since the procedure to be adopted is contingent upon a policy decision ~~relative~~ to the relative priority of the NIS and the SR's. I presume a ~~review~~ review of the policy set up in the attached memos to IC&PS and to State is in order in the light of the progress made to date by the NIS program.

5. It should be noted that the SR's listed (as at report of 1 Nov. 1949) as "nearing completion" are expected in draft form by about 1 January 1950. Those "underway" may be only in initial stages of preparation. Some of them may have target date a year or more from now.

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Text of SR's as ID
Copy of St. Rep. of Nov.
Check NIS re. Palestine
Letters to IRC showed
made "contributions" permissive
but not required.

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[redacted]

24 Jan '49

Rumania SR-12 ✓
Poland - 42 ✓ } assistance reported
~~Indochina~~ Hungary 40
Czechoslovakia - 24
Bulgaria - 22
~~Cuba~~ Hungary ~~29~~
~~Argentina~~ - 44 ✓ Denmark

Germany SR-20
Costa Rica SR-53

NW: Status pending
Send to Paris

[Get correspondence — 9 Dec. ES from Jack]

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1 Memo CNI to DCI Serial 00659 P32
dated 13 Jan 47 (S)

2 " DDCI to CNI, CIG A.4.03 dated
13 Jan 47 (S)

3 " Ex Dir CIG to AD/R&E 34228
25 July 47 (S)

4 " Acting Chief, Projects Div to Chief Int Staff, R&E
dated 29 July 47 (S)

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CR-53 Costa Rica
(out for review)

54 Haiti

46 Guatemala

50 Ghana & S. Africa

51 Rhodesia & Nyasaland

52 Mozambique & Angola

Cyprus

Palau

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following is
status of Thorp" underway

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RJS —

According to ID the statement about the 6 SR's must be based on the attached letter. Of the seven listed, one (Rumania) has been published.

I think this request is obsolete and should be removed or cancelled to conform to the present status of completion of these SR's.

In addition to these, SR-53 "Costa Rica" is under review by IAC & contributions have been requested. Note par. 3 is "permissive"

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We may look
for contributions
but they must be
"permissive" —
Review required,
however.

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